



MINUTES OF THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS  
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, STATE OF CALIFORNIA

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At its meeting held May 29, 2007, the Board took the following action:

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Supervisor Yaroslavsky made the following statement:

“In 2005, at the direction of the Board, the Department of Public Social Services (DPSS) launched a Countywide Food Stamp Outreach Campaign to reduce food insecurity and hunger by increasing the number of households receiving Food Stamp benefits. In collaboration with a wide variety of community partners and other County Departments, DPSS has been successful in increasing Food Stamp participation. In March 2007 alone, over 627,000 individuals in more than 273,000 households received \$70.4 million in Food Stamp benefits.

“In 2006, as part of the Food Stamp Outreach Campaign, DPSS and other County Departments partnered with the Los Angeles Regional Food Bank to promote Hunger Awareness Day, an event that is sponsored nationally by America's Second Harvest, the nation's food bank network.

“On Tuesday, June 5, 2007, DPSS and other County Departments are once again, collaborating with the Los Angeles Regional Food Bank, to provide support for the annual National Hunger Awareness Day.”

Therefore, on motion of Supervisor Yaroslavsky, seconded by Supervisor Knabe, unanimously carried (Supervisor Molina being absent), the Board took the following actions:

1. Proclaimed June 5, 2007 as “Hunger Awareness Day;”
2. Instructed the Director of Public Social Services and other County Departments to support this event; and
3. Encouraged all residents to support efforts to eradicate hunger throughout Los Angeles County.

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